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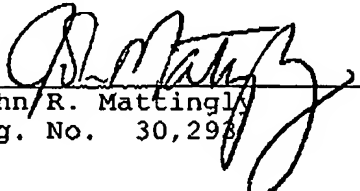
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Case Docket No. ASA-1150

In RE application of N. SHIMOZONO et al.

Serial No.: 10/649,663

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Filed: August 28, 2003

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For: SWITCH PROVIDED WITH CAPABILITY OF
SWITCHING A PATHAssistant Commissioner for Patents
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Sir:

Transmitted herewith is an Amendment in the above-identified application.

- ☐ Small entity status of this application under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 has been established by a verified statement previously submitted.
- ☐ A verified statement to establish small entity status under 37 CFR 1.9 and 1.27 is enclosed.
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AMENDMENT

Sir:

In response to the Office Action of June 30, 2005, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 2 of this paper.

Remarks begin on page 4 of this paper.